MCC Officials Are Subpenaed T-P 9-14-67

Aaron M. Kohn, managing director, and 15 members of the Mertopolitan Crime Commission of Greater New Orleans, Inc., have been subpenaed for questioning by the Orleans Parish Grand Jury, which will begin an investigation Thursday into the extent of organized crime in this area.

The investigation was ordered by District Attorney Jim Garrison following publication of an article in Life magazine charging that racketeering is booming in the New Orleans area.

Garrison termed the Life charges "utterly ridiculous," but said the matter merited a full grand jury probe because of the national publicity generated by the magazine article. Kohn has stated publicly that much of the material for the article was supplied by the Crime Commission.